## UNITED STATES OF AMERICA UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF MICHIGAN SOUTHERN DIVISION

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,	)	
Plaintiff,	)	Case No. 1:09-cr-00370
v.	)	Honorable Janet T. Neff
JUAN CORDOVA-LOPEZ,	)	
Defendant.	) )	

## **REPORT AND RECOMMENDATION**

Pursuant to W.D. MICH. L.CR.R. 11.1, I conducted a plea hearing in the captioned case on January 25, 2010, after receiving the written consent of defendant and all counsel. There is no written plea agreement. At the hearing, defendant Juan Cordova-Lopez entered a plea of guilty to Counts 1 and 2 of the Indictment. In Count 1, defendant is charged with false representation of residency status in violation of 18 U.S.C. § 1546(a). In Count 2, defendant is charged with use of a Social Security Number not assigned to him in violation of 42 U.S.C. § 408(a)(7)(B). On the basis of the record made at the hearing, I find that defendant is fully capable and competent to enter an informed plea; that the plea is made knowingly and with full understanding of each of the rights waived by defendant; that it is made voluntarily and free from any force, threats, or promises; that the defendant understands the nature of the charge and penalties provided by law; and that the plea has a sufficient basis in fact.

I therefore recommend that defendant's plea of guilty to Counts 1 and 2 of the Indictment be accepted, and that the court adjudicate defendant guilty. Acceptance of the plea, adjudication of guilt, and imposition of sentence are specifically reserved for the district judge.

Date: January 26, 2010 /s/ Ellen S. Carmody

ELLEN S. CARMODY

United States Magistrate Judge

## **NOTICE TO PARTIES**

You have the right to <u>de novo</u> review of the foregoing findings by the district judge. Any application for review must be in writing, must specify the portions of the findings or proceedings objected to, and must be filed and served no later than 14 days after the plea hearing. *See* W.D. MICH. L.CR.R. 11.1(d).